

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) **Group Art Unit:** 3937
James Roy Easter, et al.)
Serial No.: 10/549,686) **Examiner:** Not Yet Assigned
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Filed: 10/03/2006)
Atty. Docket No: 45568-00542) **REQUEST STATUS OF PENDING
CONFIRMATION NO.: 1119) APPLICATION
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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD)
FOR OSSICULAR FIXATION)
OF IMPLANTABLE HEARING)
ACTUATOR)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madam:

In reviewing our file, we note that the last correspondence received from your office is dated November 26, 2007. Applicant respectfully requests a status update with regard to the above-identified application at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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